

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM
CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

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| AGENDA TITLE: NPDES Phase II Department of Ecology Grant |
| DEPARTMENT: Public Works |
| PRESENTED BY: Brian Landau, Surface Water & Environmental Services Manager |

PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

The National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) is a Federally mandated clean water program that requires the City to obtain an NPDES permit from Washington's Department of Ecology (DOE) to maintain its surface water program in a way that reduces the discharge of pollutants to the maximum extent practicable; that protects water quality; and that satisfies the requirements of the Clean Water Act.

On March 3, 2003, Council approved the City's application for an NPDES Phase II permit. The permit was issued on January 17, 2007, and became effective February 16, 2007 for a period of 5 years.

To assist the City with implementation of the NPDES Phase II permit, a grant was written and the City was awarded \$50,000 from the Department of Ecology.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

The \$50,000 is new revenue that will be added to the 2010 budget for Surface Water Management and will be included in a 2010 budget amendment.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that Council authorize the City Manager to sign the grant agreement with the Department of Ecology for \$50,000 in NPDES Phase II implementation funds.

Approved By: City Manager  City Attorney _____